IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA WHEELING

SHAWN MCCLAIN,

Petitioner.

V.

CRIMINAL ACTION NO. 5:14-CR-22 CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:18-CV-30 (BAILEY)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

On this day, the above-styled matter came before this Court for consideration of the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge James P. Mazzone [5:18-cv-30 Doc. 4; 5:14-cr-22 Doc. 56]. Pursuant to this Court's Local Rules, this action was referred to Magistrate Judge Mazzone for submission of a proposed report and recommendation ("R&R"). Magistrate Judge Mazzone filed his R&R on February 19, 2019, wherein he recommends petitioner's Motion Under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence by a Person in Federal Custody [5:18-cv-30 Doc. 1; 5:14-cr-22 Doc. 53] be denied and dismissed because the motion is untimely.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(c), this Court is required to make a *de novo* review of those portions of the magistrate judge's findings to which objection is made. However, the Court is not required to review, under a *de novo* or any other standard, the factual or legal conclusions of the magistrate judge as to those portions of the findings or recommendation to which no objections are addressed. *Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140, 150 (1985). In addition, failure to file timely objections constitutes a waiver of *de novo*

review and the right to appeal this Court's Order. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Snyder v.

Ridenour, 889 F.2d 1363, 1366 (4th Cir. 1989); United States v. Schronce, 727 F.2d 91,

94 (4th Cir. 1984). Here, objections to Magistrate Judge Mazzone's R&R were due within

fourteen (14) days of service, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b).

To date, no objections have been filed. Accordingly, this Court will review the R&R for

clear error.

Upon careful review of the above, it is the opinion of this Court that the Report and

Recommendation [5:18-cv-30 Doc. 4; 5:14-cr-22 Doc. 56] should be, and is, hereby

ORDERED ADOPTED for the reasons more fully stated in the magistrate judge's report.

Accordingly, this Court ORDERS that the petitioner's Motion Under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 to

Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence by a Person in Federal Custody [5:18-cv-30 Doc.

1; 5:14-cr-22 Doc. 53] is DENIED and DISMISSED because the motion is untimely. This

Court further ORDERS that this matter be STRICKEN from the active docket of this Court

and **DIRECTS** the Clerk to enter judgment in favor of respondent.

It is so **ORDERED**.

The Clerk is directed to transmit copies of this Order to any counsel of record herein

and to mail a copy to the pro se plaintiff.

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